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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, PROP, BU, YU

SUBJECT: VOA BULGARIAN USE OF KAVALA TRANSMITTER

REF: BELGRADE 1231

PERHAPS WE DO NOT UNDERSTAND REFTTEL, BUT ONLY WAY WE  
SEE THAT U.S. COULD APPEAR "TO FAVOR BULGARIA OVER  
YUGOSLAVIA" ON MACEDONIAN QUESTION IS FOR VOA  
BULGARIAN BROADCASTS TO CARRY BULGARIAN GOVERNMENT  
AND MEDIA COMMENTS ABOUT MACEDONIA. WE HAD POINTED  
OUT SOME TIME AGO THAT BROADCASTING YUGOSLAV COMMENTS  
WOULD NOT BE HELPFUL HERE, BUT THE SAME OBVIOUSLY  
APPLIES ALSO VICE VERSA. WE HAVE CAREFULLY FOLLOWED  
VOA BULGARIAN BROADCASTS SINCE JAMMING WAS LIFTED  
AND CANNOT RECALL ANY ONE-SIDED COVERAGE OF THIS  
ISSUE.  
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